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GREAT DAMAGE RESULTS FROM AERIAL RAID

**Allied Aeroplanes Fly Over Zeebrugge
and Drop Bombs--200 Persons Killed
and 350 Wounded**

(Special to The Herald)
Amsterdam, March 22.—The great aerial attack on Zeebrugge Monday by a fleet of British, French and Belgian aeroplanes, caused the death of two hundred persons, and spread heavy damage at the German naval base, according to reliable reports received from the Dutch frontier today. A number of the Germans' large coast guns were destroyed by the large bombs dropped from the aeroplanes. In addition to those killed, 350 persons were wounded. Most of the casualties inflicted by the Allies' bombs were among the German sailors at

Zeebrugge. Seven hangars containing new aeroplanes that had just come from the German factories were slashed and their contents completely ruined. All reports of the raid reaching here agree that the attacking aeroplanes made the most brilliant flight that has marked the war. Although flying high above Zeebrugge to escape the volleys fired by the German anti-aircraft guns, the Allies' aviators threw bombs with careful aim.

This is the third consecutive Wednesday that there has been a heavy snow storm.

WILL NEVER SURRENDER

**Villa Declares He Will Die
Rather Than Give Up to
Americans.**

(Special to The Herald)
El Paso, March 22.—Villa will never surrender, but will die fighting the Americans sent to capture him. This is the grim defiance sent to the border by the bandit leader through messengers who succeeded in passing by Carranza troops in night dashes. "If the American soldiers take me, they will take me dead," says Villa. "I am going to kill every American I can find. They won't find it any easy task to whip Villa. Count on this. I will never surrender but will die fighting."

GREAT DAMAGE BY CYCLONE

**One Man Is Dead and Property Loss Heavy at
Marion, Ind.**

(Special to The Herald)
Marion, Ind., March 22.—One man is dead and many persons were injured and thousands of dollars' damage done by a cyclone which hit this city early today. Many houses were wrecked and a passenger train was blown off the track.

TWO AVIATORS STILL MISSING

**Went Into Mexico Tuesday
and Fail to Return.**

Columbus, N. M., March 22.—No word was received here up to 10 a. m. today of the two missing lieutenants of the U. S. Aeroplane Corps who went into Mexico from here on Tuesday. Wireless communication with the American expeditionary forces which was interrupted Tuesday was restored today. Several code messages were received, probably from Gen. Pershing.

MAKES PROTEST AGAINST SEIZURE OF BONDS

**British Confiscate Over \$12,000,000
Worth of American Securities on
Ships**

(Special to The Herald)
London, March 22.—Protests against the seizure of the U. S. securities was made to the foreign office today by W. H. Page, the American ambassador. He declared that he was acting in behalf of the American consignees of the securities and set up the claim that the British government had no right to hold up the stocks and bonds because they constituted a

bonified neutral consignment. The American ambassador said he would again call at the foreign office on Thursday for a definite answer to his protests. Between 12 and 15 million dollars worth of American securities have been seized by England on ships. The excuse given was that the British foreign office suspected that some of the owners of the stocks and bonds were Germans.

KITTERY GIRL MARRIES

**Popular Miss Atwood Weds
Michigan Man—Leave on
Honeymoon.**

Miss Dorothy Bennett Atwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Atwood of Kittery, formerly of this city, and Mr. Floyd Elverson Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw of Lansing, Mich., were quietly united in marriage at the home of Mrs. Mira Baker of the Intervale, Kittery, on Wednesday morning.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. W. Cummings, pastor of the Free Baptist church, Kittery Point. The single ring service was used. The couple were unattended and only immediate friends and relatives were present. The bride was handsomely attired in a dark blue traveling suit, with white hat.

Immediately after the wedding the bride couple left on the 10.45 o'clock train for Boston on their honeymoon. The trip will include a visit to New York, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Lansing, Mich., where they will make their home.

The bride is a graduate of Portsmouth High school and has been employed for several months in Feyer's store. The groom is an electrician and was formerly in the United States navy.

Both have scores of friends in this city and Kittery who wish them a happy and prosperous married life.

GERMAN FOOD SHIP SUNK

Its Crew Is Captured by a Russian Warship.

(Special to The Herald)
London, March 22.—The Esperanza, a 7,000 ton vessel, flying the German flag, loaded with food stuffs for Constantinople, was sunk in the Black Sea off the Roumanian coast by a Russian warship, and its crew captured, according to a Russian dispatch from Bukarest. Several other small sailing ships also loaded with food cargoes were sunk, the dispatch says.

GERMANS OPEN BOMBARDMENT

**Intend to Capture French
Position on Hill 304.**

(Special to The Herald)
Paris, March 22.—No infantry action was launched by the Germans during the night on the Verdun front, but they opened a violent artillery bombardment in the region of Malancourt, east of Hill 304. It is apparent

by the intention of the Germans to attempt the capture of this height in order that they may fully dominate Dead Man's Hill where the French have thus far successfully resisted all attacks.

FIERCE STORM SWEEPS CHICAGO

**Great Damage Done by Queer
Combination of Snow,
Thunder, Lightning,
Rain and Sleet.**

(Special to The Herald)
Chicago, March 22.—Driven by a 48-mile wind with the freak combination of snow, thunder, lightning, rain and sleet, one of the fiercest storms in the history of this city, swept Chicago, northern Illinois, and Indiana today, resulting in four deaths. Two were here, one at Marion, Ind., and one at Logansport, Ind. The 48-mile wind whipped Lake Michigan into a fury of mountainous waves, demoralized all rail and wire-traffic, ripped huge signboards from their fastenings, tore down high tower electric wires, and demolished many plate glass windows.

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ALLIES PLAN CLOSER UNION IN ORDER TO SHORTEN WAR

Great Conference Will be Held Soon in Paris With Premier Briand Presiding Over the Deliberations.

Paris, March 21.—A greater entente bringing not only France, England and Russia, but the smaller of their allies into complete accord, will result from the conference to be held here late this week or early next.

Military and political leaders of the allies were assembling here today in advance of the meeting they plan to organize for concerted action in a military and political way to shorten the war.

Such a union has long been demanded by leading statesmen of all the allied countries. Since Briand became prime minister of France he has worked ceaselessly toward this end, and is now called the architect of the greater entente. Briand will preside over the deliberations.

Prince Regent Alexander and Premier Pachitch of Serbia are due to arrive in Paris today. Gen. Cadorna, Italian commander in chief, is already in Paris and will be joined shortly by Gen. Porro, second in command. England will be represented by Sir Douglas Haig, Premier Asquith and others. Premier Briand, Gen. Joffre and one or two French cabinet members will represent France. Gen. Goltz will be Russia's representative, and Premier de Broqueville and Gen. Wleclmans will represent Belgium.

Gen. Cadorna visited the French front today. The Serbian prince regent received an enthusiastic reception when he arrived at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Allies Plan to Curb Commercial Germany.

London, March 21.—Germany will never again "raise her helmet" in a world engaged in peaceful pursuits. President Walter Runciman of the board of trade declared in an interview today, officially outlining for the first

time the allies' commercial plans after the war.

England does not contemplate a throttling that will leave the German people crushed in poverty, unable to rise again, he said. "But peaceful preparations as a means to a military end will never again be tolerated by England, France, Russia and Italy," Runciman asserted. "Nor can we submit to most favored nations' clauses in commercial treaties being utilized to the detriment of any one of the allied countries. We object to Germany using her resources and commercial relations with us for purposes of aggression as she did in preparation for this war."

Runciman's statement is of the highest importance in view of the forthcoming allied commerce conference in Paris, which he will attend. American traders and manufacturers, he indicated, must prepare for a rigid, though friendly, British commercial competition in neutral markets after the war. "Germany has announced that at the conclusion of this war she will attempt to establish a customs union of the central powers on aggressive lines," he said. "This can only mean that she intends to follow up the present conflict with an economic war."

It is not possible to bring to

gether so many high grade men on a single program, but Premier Tuguey took advantage of the cancellation of matches scheduled for several arenas in the west and gathered up these cancelled performers and the result is that the ballgame will be Strangler Lewis vs. Hinner Johnson, Amerius vs. Duro, Zbyzsko vs. Herrympa, and Lento against Leavitt.

There is exceptionally great interest in Strangler Lewis, who is making his first appearance in Boston. This is due to his great record and his hard two hour battle with Joe Stecker. The reappearance of Amerius, too, has stirred up interest, while several of the new comers are paired with men of established reputation so that the fans appear to be in line for some of the fastest and most exciting action seen in this part of the country.

WRESTLING

FOUR MATCHES IN BOSTON THIS EVENING.

Boston, March 21.—With eight of the world's fastest and best catch-as-catch-can wrestlers competing in four matches, wrestling fans who attended Wednesday night's carnival in Mechanics Building appear to be due for a buffet of that work.

It is seldom possible to bring to

COLLEGES ADOPT NEW RULE

Smith, Wellesley and Others Agree on New Method of Admission.

Northampton, March 20.—A new method of admission has been adopted by Smith, Holyoke, Nassau and Wellesley colleges, to go into effect in September, 1916. It was announced here tonight. Under the plan a successful applicant must have a school report covering her entire record of subjects and grades for four years, a certificate of character from the principal of her school, also, she will be required to take four comprehensive examinations.

One of these tests must be in English or history, another in one foreign language and a third in mathematics, chemistry or physics. The applicant may choose her subjects from this list, but the fourth choice will be made from subjects offered for entrance and approved by the admission committee. The four examinations will be taken at one time, and excellence in one requirement may offset unsatisfactory work in some other subject.

The new method was agreed upon after a series of conferences of committees from the four colleges concerned and was approved by the respective faculties.

WENEHSA AND TILTON SEMINARY GAME SCHEDULED

TWO PORTSMOUTH PLAYERS IN THE LINE-UP OF THE VISITING BASKETBALL TEAM TO PLAY HERE ON SATURDAY

On Saturday evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium the Wenehosa basketball team is scheduled to meet the team representing Tilton Seminary, going to be called at 8.00 o'clock. This is the second time these two teams have clashed, the first meeting resulting in a defeat for Wenehosa by one point, the score being 31 to 30. With the brand of game the fast light team has been putting up lately they should win, as they played a hard fast game against the Granite State Five, from Durham, last Saturday, a team which must be acknowledged to be faster and more experienced than that of Tilton. Wenehosa lost their last game by a 30 to 25 score.

Playing with the visitors are two Portsmouth boys, Charles Brackett and Wallace McWilliams. Both have been putting up a fast game all season and as they are well known to the sporting fans as baseball and football players as well as in the basketball field, they should prove an added drawing card to an already strong attraction.

In the Wenehosa line-up will appear Butler, Davis, Akerman, Smith, Mulholland and Chang. A 24-23-27-23.

BOWLING

Brewery Bottlers Open Season With the end of the bowling season in sight the brewery teams are just starting, and the first of the games were rolled at the West End Alloys last evening when Jones' Bowling Works' team was defeated by Eldredge's Bottlers. The game was won by three points, the first and third strings and the total pin-fall, the latter, point by 41 pins.

For the winning team McDonald rolled high with a total score of 277. Kelly rolled high for the Jones team with a score of 278. The summary:

Eldredge's Bottlers			
McDonald	91	80	106-277
McCaun	85	87	72-241
Trueman	69	67	58-221
McLain	53	53	98-266
Dwyer	92	76	108-276
426 398 406 1234			
Jones' Bottlers			
Dowdell	81	70	81-235
Woods	78	63	63-210
Stanley	59	59	80-268
Crowley	81	94	81-269
Kelly	80	82	100-278
416 408 417 1241			

Oldfield Defeated Chandler In a ten string match rolled on the Arcade Alloys last evening Oldfield won from Chandler, defeating his opponent by 180 pins. Chandler took the lead in the first string by seven pins but this lead was cut away by the second when Oldfield rolled 121 against Chandler's 101. Oldfield kept the lead from this point until the game was over. The summary:

Oldfield			
Oldfield	88	88	95
121	101	101	101
99	85	85	85
81	85	85	85
112	100	100	100
113	99	99	99
106	99	99	99
96	99	99	99
91	99	99	99
107	99	99	99
1023 913			

Commercial League In the Commercial League game at the Arcade Alloys Team No. 4 defeated Team No. 2 winning all four points. For the winning team the high total was made by Jordan, rolling a score of 217, his best string being 121. For the losers Petrasco rolled high with a total of 277. The summary:

Team No. 4			
Gray	102	101	57-210
Holland	99	88	93-230
Jordan	93	121	103-312
201 310 283 557			
Team No. 2			
Philbrick	50	70	82-217
Petrake	91	91	93-277
Clark	100	81	88-266
217 251 242 710			

WALTER JOHNSON TO ENTER TOURNAMENT AT WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., March 21.—Walter Johnson the famous pitcher, is going to roll in the Atlantic Coast Bowling Association Tournament, to be held in this city starting April 3rd. He will be one of ten members of the Washington Ball Club that will participate in this great sporting event, and his this will be Johnson's first attempt at bowling. Speculation is as to how fast he will throw the ball down the alley. If he puts as much speed and "stunt" on the mineralite ball as he does on the horseshoe, pellet, one for more pin boy is liable to go to the hospital.

One week remains in which to file

entries for the big National Capital Tournament. The sixteen new alleys are well on the way to completion, and the mammoth tournament, building covering at least five acres of space is fast assuming a carnival aspect. Not only will there be five hundred bowling teams, furnishing fine examples of the sport, but there will be a "side show" of features connected with the tournament to make every minute of the time spent in the building an enjoyable one. It is these features of the tournament, coupled with the opportunity to see the National Capital arrayed in all its spring time glory that is making the A. C. B. A. event a wonderful success.

WITH THE SPORTS

The best possible guarantee that the Willard-Moran fight will be a real battle from going to go is that Charlie White is to be the referee. "The fairest, squarest man that ever was connected with the fight game—the referee of unerring skill." That's the bouquet thrown at "Old Goodbye" by followers of the padded mill game—and it is a well earned one.

For more than a quarter of a century Charlie White has been refereeing pugilistic encounters. Over that sweep of time he has been the third man in the ring in practically every important battle that has been fought. He has given decisions in hundreds of bouts, and never once has his rulings raised the cry of "robber."

"Watch the boys closely; make them follow the rules; play no favorites. That's Charlie White's recipe for success as a referee."

The Marquies of Queensbury rules specifically bar clinching and said White, "those boxing laws really were framed to prohibit that very practice. Under the old London Prize Ring Rules clinching and gouging were allowed. But the new boxing regulations excluded them."

"Some referees permit hitting in clinches with one hand free. That is a violation of the rules. If only one hand is free it means that the other is engaged in clinching, doesn't it? And clinching is not allowed."

While refused to outline his course of action in the big affair next Saturday night, claiming it is one of his principles not to discuss a battle in which he is scheduled to officiate.

But the one thing you may be sure of there will be more toe to toe fighting in that bout than in any that has been staged in Gotham in many, many moons. Charlie White forces the boys to fight or he won't linger in the ring.

Some years ago Charlie was refereeing a mill. The men didn't show any disposition to mix it. They just loafed along. Time and again he ordered the battlers to "get busy." But they did not, whereupon Charlie hopped out of the ring, put on his hat and coat and went home.

While acting as referee in practically all of Jim Jeffries big fights with the exception of the Johnson quarrel, Tex Rickard officiated there with Chas on hand as alternate. The veteran was in the ring in the big battles in which McCoy, Corbett, Sharkey, MacFizsimmons and Rhudin figured, as well as refereeing all of the champion bouts fought in and around New York in the lighter divisions of pugilism under the old days.

"How did you get the nickname 'Old Goodbye'?" was asked him recently. "A sport writer in the old days attached it to me. He said that I had an eagle eye and that I never missed seeing anything. He referred to me several times as 'Old Goodbye' and the name has clung to me since."

Despite his long career as a ring authority, White is only 42 or 43 years old. He began refereeing in a professional way when he was 17 or 18 in the amateur clubs in New York. His faithful judgment, his fairness and his honesty soon brought a demand for his services in the professional clubs and in a few years he became the best known and most popular referee in the United States.

White numbers his friends by the tens of thousands. There is about him a sincerity that forces one to believe instantly—and then permanently—in his honesty and his fairness. He is the kind of man that you would trust to the end of all things.


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SCHOONER'S CREW WERE ENDANGERED

Eighty-Ton Vessel Ran Onto Sunken Reef Off Coast and Men Brought Ashore by Crew of Harbor Coast Guard Station.

Captain W. F. Tripp and the three members of his crew were rescued last evening by a crew from the Portsmouth Harbor Coast Guard Station when their two-masted schooner, "Hume," ran onto the sunken reef "The White Sister" and sank about 8.23 o'clock. A hole was ripped in the bottom of the vessel and she rapidly filled and a superficial investigation made by the members of the Coast Guard Station show that the Hume is practically useless. The men were in grave danger although this danger was greatly lessened by the quiet condition of the water and the lack of any high wind. The report was made from the station shortly after 11.00 o'clock.

The Hume is an 84-ton schooner, home port at Boston, and was bound from Weymouth, Mass., to Portland, Me., with a cargo of phosphate. She is an old vessel, built at Smithtown, N. J., in 1843; 63.5 feet long, 22 feet beam and has a draft of 7.2 feet. The reef is marked by a buoy that shows about six feet above water, but in the northward trip, as no danger was expected, it was not observed by Captain Tripp. The captain reported that he missed his bearings owing to a defect in his compass which was not noted until after striking on the rocks. An examination of the vessel will be made today by daylight as it is hoped that she may be saved.

WILSON AGREES TO A PROTOCOL

COOPERATION BY CARRANZA IS
DESIGNED TO AID UNITED
STATES IN CHASE OF VILLA.

Washington, March 21.—President Wilson and his Cabinet today decided to accept the proposal for a protocol between the United States and the de facto Government of Mexico for co-operation in the pursuit of Villa and his outlaws.

The convention is designed to meet all questions that may arise hereafter in connection with the chase for Villa by American forces.

It is said the protocol will set forth the rights of the American troops, the nature of the cooperation, expected from the Carranza soldiers, and provide for such matters as the use of Mexican railroads by American troops, although the specific request to ship supplies from El Paso will be disposed of separately.

Meanwhile the troops of the de facto Government are cooperating with the American forces, and the Carranza Government has promised to move a large force from Central Mexico to the north, to form a trap into which the American cavalry can chase Villa and his bandits.

RELIGIOUS STRANGER STEALS COLLECTION.

Bangor, Me., March 21.—At least one man has proved that a profession of religion is a paying proposition, to the sorrow of the worshippers taking part in the services attended by him. While talking to the minister about the heresy after and the evils of sin, a stranger stole a bag containing the contribution box contents, about \$5 from the pulpit and almost under the preacher's nose at the Gospel Mission.

The stranger took part in the service singing the hymns loudly and with much enthusiasm and appeared thoroughly imbued with religion, so much so that he wanted to talk it over with the preacher after the service. After he left the bag with the money was missing and it is believed he sneaked it into his pocket. The police have a fairly good description of the stranger.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE FAILS TO ELECT TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN

Chicago, March 21.—The subcommittee on arrangements of the Republican National Committee adjourned today without taking action on the election of a temporary chairman for the national convention here next June. The subcommittee will meet again at the call of the chair about the middle of April.

William F. Stone of Baltimore was elected sergeant-at-arms for the convention. This will be the fourth Republican national convention at which Mr. Stone has served in that capacity.

A number of names were suggested for the chairmanship, but the committee members were unable to arrive at a decision, and the matter was carried over for further discussion.

While National Chairman Charles D. Hilles declined to give out the names that were canvassed for the position, it was learned that a number had been discussed. Among these were: Philander C. Knox, Pennsylvania; Senator Warren G. Harding, Ohio; President Nicholas Murray Butler, Columbia University, New York; Senator W. D. Borah, Idaho; Governor Samuel W. McCall, Massachusetts; Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Massachusetts; former Governor Chase S. Osborn, Michigan; Senator George Sutherland, Utah; W. J. Calhoun, Illinois, former minister to China, and James H. Mann, congressman from Illinois. At the close of the discussion it was said the indications were that the choice might be among Knox, Harding, Butler and Mann.

Uniform Primary Law Urged
Chairman Hilles has issued a state-

ment calling attention to the confusion which has developed this year in the selection of delegates to the national convention because of the conflicting provisions of the direct primary laws in the different states and urging that a uniform presidential primary law be adopted by all the states. In the statement Chairman Hilles said in part:

"The situation that has developed through the extension of the primary idea with respect to national political party organization calls most urgently for standardization of state primary laws, so far as they apply to the election of delegates to national party conventions. More than half the delegates to national conventions of 1916 will be elected or instructed through some primary medium, but the primary laws are so widely at variance in many particulars that a sadly confused state of affairs has resulted. The utter lack of uniformity in the laws, more pronounced now than ever before, despite the experience of several years of operation with primaries, suggests the immediate need of working out some plan by which this confused condition will be eliminated. If all the primaries which relate exclusively to delegates to presidential conventions were held simultaneously there would result a distinct benefit in that one state would not exercise an undue atmospheric influence over another.

"If the principle underlying the California law should be adopted generally the unit rule would not only prevail but all delegates in all states would be elected at large. This would mean that

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FATHER AND SON BANQUET BIG SUCCESS AT Y. M. C. A.

One of the most successful and original affairs held at the Portsmouth Young Men's Christian Association took place last evening in Association

Hall, Y. M. C. A. building on the occasion of the "Father and Son Banquet," attended by 75 boys, members of the association and their fathers. The officers of the association and the members were greatly pleased with the success of the evening, and it is expected to result in a closer relation between the members and their parents.

The tables were finely decorated, daffodils being used in the scheme and an excellent menu, prepared and served by the members of the Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. preceded the addresses made by the several speakers.

Mr. E. Curtis Matthews, Jr., officiated as toastmaster at the dinner and introduced the several speakers in an able and interesting manner. The address of welcome was delivered by Mr. Daniel F. Borthwick, president of the association, who explained in a few well chosen words the object of the occasion. Several excellent toasts were presented, that to "Our Fathers" was given by Frank Patterson and "To Our Sons" by Frank B. Leavitt. An able address, "The Boy and His Father," was presented by Mr. Harry B. Watson, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of New Hampshire.

Following the regular program "America" was sung by the entire assembly and then they adjourned to the gymnasium where the Wenchesa basketball team played an exhibition game with a picked team. Many of the fathers of the boys worked with the apparatus in the gymnasium and entered into the spirit of the evening by joining in the game.

The general committee in charge of the banquet and entertainment was Mr. C. Manning Alderman, chairman; Mrs. Edward Patterson, Mrs. Horace J. Frye, Mrs. Frank B. Leavitt, Mrs. William Craig, Mrs. D. W. McNeil, Mrs. Arthur H. Locke, Mrs. Frank J. Hekford, Mrs. Grayville B. Burns and Mrs. Everett N. McNabb.

The ladies officiating as waitresses were Mrs. Edward J. Patterson, Mrs. Clyde Mergeson, Mrs. C. J. Smith, Mrs. S. D. Gilkey, Mrs. Charles Richardson, Mrs. Grayville B. Burns, Mrs. Frank B. Leavitt, Mrs. Everett N. McNabb, Mrs. William Craig, Miss Fay, Triamian, Miss Frances Murch and Miss Grace McNabb.

the pool tables and other games were indulged in during the evening.
The Menu
Grape Fruit
Olives Pickles
Cold Baked Ham Cold Roast Beef
Mashed Potatoes
Macaroni and Cheese
Banana Fritters
Hot Trolls
Hot Apple Pie and Ice Cream
Coffee Cocoa

LOVES HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW

A man has been discovered who is good to his mother-in-law. It is Roscoe Arbuckle, better known as "Fatty of the Keystone." Arbuckle arranged yesterday to bring Mrs. Eugene Durfee, his mother-in-law, all the way from Los Angeles, where she lives, to see "Hip Hip Hooryay" at the Hippodrome. Some months ago, Mr. Arbuckle, accompanied by his wife, and Mabel Normand, and members of the Keystone Comedy Company came east to open a studio here. Since that time the jolly comedian of the film has spent every available evening watching Charles Dillingham's pageant of delight in the Hippodrome. In fact, it is the only theatrical entertainment in town he has seen, and yesterday when Mrs. Arbuckle and he were discussing how they could make the former's mother happiest on her birthday, which occurs early next month, he left upon the plan to have her come east; spend the anniversary with them, and see the Hippodrome.

ELKS TO ENTERTAIN VISITING HOTEL MEN.

The hotel men who are to meet in this city at the Rockingham Hotel on Thursday are to be the guests of Portsmouth Lodge, number 97, B. P. O. Elks at the Elks Home on Thursday afternoon. A program has been arranged for their entertainment and will be held from 5.30 to 6.30 in the afternoon.

CAPTAIN PEARSON DIED ON TUESDAY

RETIRED NAVY OFFICER, FORMER
COMMANDANT OF PORTS-
MOUTH YARD, PASSED AWAY
AT MARBLEHEAD, AGED
70 YEARS.

Captain William Everett Pearson, U. S. N., retired, died at his home at Marblehead, Mass., Tuesday morning after an illness lasting about a week. Captain Pearson was in his 70th year. He was born in Chelsea, Mass., and for more than forty years served in the United States Navy.

At one time Captain Pearson was commandant at the Portsmouth navy yard. He moved to Marblehead about a year ago, having lived in Walthrop, Mass., for the past several years since his retirement. He is survived only by his wife.

STRONGEST RADIO STATION IN WORLD FOR SAN DIEGO.

San Diego, Cal., March 21.—The new \$300,000 naval radio station at Chollas Heights across from this city, will be the most powerful of its kind in the world, according to George Hanson, wireless telegraph expert to the office of the naval inspector of radio stations at the Mare Island navy yard. Hanson said that a 150-kilowatt set will be installed. The radio station in the Eiffel tower at Paris, rated as the strongest in Europe, is of 100 kilowatt capacity, he said. The station probably will be in commission by June 1.

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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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Back to First Principles.

Readers of this paper are aware that it is not in love with what is commonly known as paternalism; that is, meddling on the part of the states and the nation with affairs that should be controlled entirely by towns, cities, counties and states. The tendency is for the federal government to place its hand to matters that should be attended to by the states, and for the states to mix in affairs which should be left to counties, cities and towns.

One of the most extravagant proposals along the line of paternalism that has been brought to the front of late is advanced by a Boston physician who recently delivered a lecture in Milwaukee. His idea is that the government should have a physician present at the birth of every child. He said "we," meaning the federal government, should make use of the scientific knowledge "we" are acquiring, and should be represented at the birth of every child to see that it is "guaranteed life." The lecturer said, if correctly reported: "The mother may have as many private physicians and as many other people as are within the command of her pocketbook, but the government will guarantee a decent entrance into the world. This is a perfectly legitimate requisite on the basis of the scientific knowledge 'we' have. 'We' already impose penalties for failure to report a death. Surely it is more of a crime not to get children into the world properly. Once in the world, the child is the offspring of the nation as well as of the mother and father. As 'we' inspect the children coming from Europe, 'we' must inspect those coming from nowhere."

There is not much danger of any such regulation as this being brought about. The proposition is too foolish and extravagant for any consideration whatever, except as it emphasizes the tendency toward overlordship in a land where the people are supposed to be free to attend to their own affairs as they see fit. The idea of having a government physician present at the birth of every child is too preposterous for a moment's consideration, except as it points to the growing danger of government interference with all the affairs of the people, private as well as public.

This lecture will serve a good end if it results in calling public attention to the dangers of paternalism, which has already gained too strong a foothold in this country. It is high time to call a halt and to get back to the principles, as well as the form, of local self-government.

D. F. MacDonald, formerly canal geologist and now mining geologist for the United States bureau of mines, predicts that the Panama canal will never be swallowed by an earthquake, and that in time the slides will cease and the canal will be an unqualified success. It is to be hoped he is right, as he probably is; yet the people on earth 100 years from now may know more about it than he does. It is not easy to look into the future, as is attested by the difficulties encountered since the big ditch was supposed to be completed.

Whatever else may be thought or said of Henry Ford he cannot be called a tightwad. All know how he has spent money in the interest of peace, and now he has sent a check to every employe of an eastern organ factory in which was manufactured an organ for his house in Detroit. There are several hundred employes in the establishment and not one of the checks was for less than \$5.

Dr. Cook wants Congress to make an investigation to ascertain whether it was he or Admiral Peary who discovered the North Pole. The doctor still persists in claiming the distinction, and the congressional committee tells him he may be given an opportunity to prove his claim. Perhaps he would do this by going to the Pole again and bringing back the "tube" he deposited there.

Boston is bound to be healthy at any cost, but proposes to keep the cost as low as possible, apparently. Health inspectors in that city recently condemned 14,000 cases of cold storage eggs known to the trade as "rots and spots," which were later shipped to New York, so they will not be a total loss.

In this country it is necessary in most trades to have a card in order to get a day's work, while in Germany cards are necessary to those who want to buy potatoes. This regulation is to conserve the supply, and is being applied with true German thoroughness.

The war has doubled the price of junk, but thus far housekeepers are getting no more for their old iron and rubbers than they did before. But, of course, the junkmen must live.

It looks as if some of the maple sugar makers might have to tunnel their way into the "bush" this spring.

SHARP CONFLICT IN PROGRESS

Carranza and Villa Forces Meet in Battle.

(Special to The Herald)

Queretaro, Mexico, March 22—Gen. Carranza was notified today that Mexican government troops had engaged the Villa forces near Nantiquila and that a sharp conflict was in progress in the mountains of Chihuahua.

NAVY YARD NOTES

Naval Orders

Jr. Lieut. J. M. Ashley, the Utah, April 16, to San Diego station, Cal. Paymaster R. H. Lupton, retired, Asst. Paymaster J. P. Gaffney to Charleston, S. C., yard as officer in charge of clothing factory and additional duty as accounting officer.

Vessel Movements

The Acadia and Whinlow have arrived at Guantanamo. The Jicotea at Norfolk. The Sylvia at Norfolk. The Legation at Cristobal. The Raleigh at San Diego. The Harrows has sailed from Smithtown Bay for Whitehouse.

The Calgoon from New York for Guantanamo. The Paducah from Cienfuegos for survey grounds.

The Hector, now at Norfolk, has been ordered to Boston and return to Hampton Roads.

The Virginia was placed in reserve at the Boston yard on March 27.

Sailors Transferred

About two hundred and fifty of the crew of the U. S. S. Washington were transferred in special cars from the yard today. The cars were later attached to a forenoon train for Boston. They will be added to the crew of the Nevada at the Charlestown yard.

Tug Coming Right Back

The tug Enconok which towed the dry dock entrance to Boston this morning will return at once to the yard and make another trip for the big gate when the repairs are completed at the Charlestown station.

Engineer Carlson Acting

Civil Engineer Carl A. Carlson, public works officer, is acting as general manager of the Industrial Department during the absence of Constructor L. S. Adams in Washington.

The Work to Be Done Here

The next overhaul period of the U. S. S. Baltimore will be at the local yard where that ship was recently assigned as home port.

Will Come Here Later

Civil Engineer Carlson, yard public works officer, who met Chief Harbo of the Bureau of Yards and Docks at Boston on Tuesday, was informed by him that he would shortly visit the Portsmouth yard. He was unable to do so on Tuesday as his time was limited at Boston where he went to meet the port directors in connection with the proposed construction of a big dry dock.

Now at Baltimore

M. S. Brumard of South Coventry, Conn., a former radio man at the yard, is now located at Baltimore where he is engaged in electrical work.

Widows' Pensions

The following bills for widows' pensions have been reported favorably in congress:

Mrs. Virginia Watson, widow of the late Rear Admiral E. W. Watson, U. S. navy, retired.

Mrs. Julia P. Denay, widow of the late Colonel L. P. Denay, U. S. Marine Corps.

Mrs. Louisa M. Fletcher, widow of the late Major William Fletcher, U. S. army, retired.

Mrs. Louise M. Swift, widow of the late Lieut. Franklin Swift, U. S. navy.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Bart, widow of the late Brig. General A. S. Bart, U. S. army.

Mrs. Bertha Z. Spill, widow of the late Surgeon Howard Smith, U. S. navy, retired.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. C. Allen, widow of the late Brig. General Charles J. Allen, U. S. army.

Mrs. Elie Jones Quinby, widow of the late Lieut. Col. Ira Quinby, U. S. army, retired.

Mrs. Maria L. Dougherty, widow of the late Brig. General W. R. Dougherty, U. S. army.

Hustling for Boston Yard

Congressman Peter F. Tague of Charlestown, appeared today before the committee on naval affairs in support of the bill, introduced by him, asking an appropriation of \$350,000 for the Charlestown navy yard.

The bill provides for the equipment of the navy yard so that battleships can be constructed there. The legislation has the hearty support of Secretary of the Navy Daniels, according to Congressman Tague, who says the secretary has promised that if the bill passes, he will recommend that one of the new battleships be built at the

CURRENT OPINION

Let us make haste slowly in increasing our armaments. By the time the war is over we shall most likely find the nations ready to organize the world for peace and disarmament.

If that is the case any great burden of taxation now imposed on the American people for armament purposes will be wasted.

If the nations, however, instead of making a durable peace, only declare a truce in order to continue the mad scramble for greater and ever greater armaments, then the United States, having lost neither in treasure nor in men, will be in a better position than any other nation to enter the inevitable and crushing race whose end is death to all but the most powerful.—By Hamilton Holt, Editor of New York Independent.

Charlestown yard. As Daniels favors the bill, it is likely, says Mr. Tague, that the item will be included in the naval appropriation bill.

Miss Ayers Will be Sponsor

Miss Louise McLean Ayers of Cincinnati, will christen the torpedo boat destroyer Rowen when it is launched Thursday in the Fore River ship yard at Quincy. She is a grand niece of Vice Admiral Stephen C. Rowen, in whose memory the boat was named and a daughter of Dr. Stephen C. Ayers of Cincinnati. The Rowen is a sister boat of the Tucker, just returning from its test trip to Rockland, Me., and the Sampson launched a few days ago. It measures 315 feet overall, and is listed to make 22 1-2 knots.

HOW THE FRENCH HANDLE THE NEWSPAPER PROBLEM

Paris, March 21.—In the midst of war the French government has opened a sort of Palace of the Press, next door to the old American Embassy building, in Rue Francois I. It is a five story mansion built to contain very modern flats.

Each flat now contains a department of the Maison de la Presse. There is a floor for everything an accredited visitor can want. There is a diplomatic floor, a military floor, a propaganda floor, a photograph floor, a strategist's floor, and, at the top, the movies.

The diplomatic floor is, of course, a branch of the Quai d'Orsay, or Foreign Office, and attaches ply between it and the latter, which is not a quarter of a mile away, besides using telephones, of which the Maison de la Presse has six main lines, with various inner lines. The attaches still feel a little homesick for their venerable quarters at the Quai d'Orsay, when they sit in the white and Louis XVI. rooms of the Maison de la Presse, but, of course, the great use of centralizing all work connected with the Press is clear to everyone.

The military floor is inhabited by representatives of the War Office, some elderly officers on active service, others ex-civilians now mobilized. The photograph department is one of the new things the House of the Paris Press prides itself upon. The Service Geographique de l'Armee—the official photographers who travel at the front—have taken thousands of remarkable pictures. Some are too realistic to be shown to the public, and only privileged visitors can see them, but in the main the useful innovation is that nearly all the pictures can be bought by the public at five cents apiece.

There could be no better propaganda than photographs, for instance of Gerbeville and Sermale, in the state in which the Germans left them. Some photographs on glass can be used for lantern slides, and a lantern is installed to show them off.

The floor above belongs to the movies. Films have been taken at the front by official cinematographers. "I hardly had the life of the last operator I took to the front on my conscience," said the captain who was showing me over. "A shell burst within ten yards of us while he was turning his machine."

The films once taken are the property of the war office, and strict supervision ensures that none shall be used without authority. Some cannot be shown yet. The others are exhibited once or twice a week in the cinema room, and cinema managers, from neutral countries chiefly, are invited to

see the pictures and make their choice. The military and strategical department contains much that is shown only to a few privileged visitors of the Allied nations. There are collected there the maps drawn of the enemy positions from photographs taken from aeroplanes. The minuteness and accuracy of the maps are an ever new wonder.

The staff of attendants of the Press Palace are all men who have been mobilized and, after months or a year at the front, have been called back. Most of them are of the same social standing as any attaché or officer, but there are no social classes in France in war time, and the Maison de la Presse is an epitome of the democratic French army.

For the military floor of the Maison de la Presse the organizers have had an original idea. Beaumarchais said, "A calculator was wanted, and so a dancer got the job." At the Maison de la Presse the right man is in the right place. The rooms where one is shown maps and statistics and fed with information are full of uniforms, from corporal to colonel. But these warriors are all journalists. Actually journalists have been told off to deal, on behalf of the French government, with journalists.

The men in various uniforms were in peace-time editors or members of the editorial staffs of the Matin, the Temps, the Debats, L'Opinion, and so on. Those of military fitness have all been to the front. Since the beginning of the war several have been wounded, and several have won distinction.

But when, after sixteen months of war, the Foreign Office decided to start a Palace of the Press, it came to the conclusion that journalists mobilized would be of more use there than at the front, and recalled them. Thus the link between the press and the French war office now consists of a staff of men who are both soldiers and journalists. They are the link, also, between the press and the front, for they daily communicate between the Maison de la Presse and General Headquarters. The Palace of the Press is not confining its activities to Paris, but is sending various envoys—from this same staff of journalist-officers—to Allied and neutral countries, where they will be the permanent representatives of the Paris Maison de la Presse for the duration of the war.

PRAISE FOR MARINES.

The last issue of the Army and Navy Register prints the following in praise of the U. S. marine:

Upon his return to this country after being relieved by Captain Hamilton D. South, U. S. Marine Corps, at Managua, Nicaragua, C. A., Captain P. M. Rixey, Jr., who has been commandant of the marine detachment in Nicaragua, was the recipient of an appreciative letter from President Adolfo Diaz, of Nicaragua, under date of January 8, 1916, as follows:

"My Dear Capt. Rixey: This letter is an official testimony of my highest appreciation of you as commander of the marine detachment that constitutes the guard of the American legation, and it is also an expression of my highest personal satisfaction for my pleasant relations with a gentleman of your merits."

"It is notorious that the American marine detachment which has been under your worthy command in Nicaragua for two and a half years not only fulfills the purpose of its creation as regards the American legation, but that

it is also a sure token of guaranty for the maintenance of the order and peace of this republic."

"But the permanence of the marines in this country would not fulfill so thoroughly all the aforesaid conditions if they were not under chiefs of your exquisite culture, fine prudence, and recognized professional ability, qualifications these which constitute true titles of excellence and which, in the same way that they have made you fulfill in a most worthy manner your delicate duties in Nicaragua, winning for you the general sympathies and appreciation, will always I hope, serve you to attain to higher triumphs, which you so greatly deserve, in the course of your military career."

"In taking farewell from Nicaragua you carry with you the appreciation of my government, which has benefited by the laudable fulfillment of your important charge, and my personal appreciation for the invariable proofs of your distinguished friendship; and, besides, the cordial esteem of the Nicaraguan society, who will always remember you and your worthy wife with pleasure as a just appreciation of the esteemed merits of you both."

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HARRINGTONS BUY A STOCKING PLANT

William F. Harrington and Lawrence J. Harrington, stockholders and officers in the Portsmouth Brewing Company, have purchased the business of the Manchester Stocking Company in Amoskeag.

The purchase was made, it is said, with a view to developing the business extensively. The present capacity of 500 dozen a day will be practically doubled right away with the addition of new machinery and the doubling of the present employed force which is about 75. Later, possibly within a year, a new plant may be built, which will increase the capacity several more fold.

The plant's output, which is entirely socks and stockings, is sold direct to a New York distributor. It is said that he has already agreed to take a greatly increased output.

BUBBLE BLOWING

Our plot is small, but sunny times shut out all cares and troubles; And there my little girl at times And I, sit blowing bubbles.

The screaming swifts race to and fro; Bees cross the ivied paths; Draughts lift and set the globes we blow.

In freakish currents sailing. They glide, they dart, they soar, they break;

Oh, joyous little daughter, What lovely colored worlds we have! What crystal flowers of water!

One green and lowly slowly drops; One soars and shines a minute, And carries to the lime-tree tops Our home, reflected in it.

Gable, with green rose in bloom, She sees from roof to basement; "Oh Father, there's your little room!" She cries in glad amazement.

To her, enchanted with the gleam, The glimmer and the glory, The bubble's home's a home of dream And I must tell the story.

Tell what we did and how we played, Withdrawn from care and trouble—A father and his merry maid, Whose home was in a bubble! —William Canton.

PLUCKED OFFICERS STILL OUT.

The President has decided, it is understood, not to return to the active list of the Navy any of the officers who are on the retired list by virtue of recommendations of the plucking board. Some months ago the Secretary of the Navy submitted to the President a list of those officers, ten or twelve in number, who had applied for restoration under the terms of the legislation enacted by the last Congress which at the same time abolished the plucking board. There has been an impression that the opposition of the Secretary of the Navy to the restoration of some of the applicants on any terms—namely of Captain P. M. Polts—furnished a sufficient explanation of the departmental disinclination to urge action on the part of the President; but it now appears that Mr. Wilson is not in favor of directing the Navy Department to proceed with the matter to any extent. It would be no difficult task, of course, to ascertain the qualifications for service of most, if not all, of the officers who desired to be restored, and it might be expected that some of them would have no difficulty in demonstrating their fitness for active duty. The President, however, has come to the conclusion that it is a delicate, if not a "next-to-impossible" matter to make any distinction without involving himself and the Secretary of the Navy in all sorts of trouble which they can easily avoid by doing nothing at all.—Army and Navy Register.

KEEPERS TO RETIRE.

As a result of the examinations the following coast guard keepers will retire on account of age from dates following their respective names: Philip K. Chichester, Zachs Inlet station, 4th district, March 23, 1916; and Daniel H. Abrams, Rockaway Point station, 4th district, March 25, 1916.

CURIOSITIES OF VT. ELECTION

State Prohibition Rejected by 13,000 Votes.

Burlington, Vt., March 22—Vermont recently rejected state prohibition by 13,000 votes. Before the election Vermont was drier than Kansas. There were in this entire state only 20 license towns and 60 saloons, less than in the business section of Boston.

It had always been the experience in other states that when a sufficient number of country districts had been made dry by local option, then the road to state-wide prohibition was comparatively easy.

Vermont is the first state in recent years to go against this established precedent.

In rural districts, in township and in village the Vermonters purchased to the poles and voted against state-wide prohibition, whether his town was already dry or not. There was a sort of tacit understanding that one community had no right to tell another community what was good for that other community. "The Vermont spirit," is the way the papers described it.

Grand Isle, the first town to report defeated state prohibition 87 to 73. Shelburne voted 167 to 65 against state prohibition, while the vote for license was 141 to 73. In South Burlington on State Prohibition the vote was yes 43, no 83, while the vote on local license was yes 47, no 99, and on local licenses was yes 56, no 58. Williston on state prohibition voted yes 63, no 76, and on local license yes 31, no 90. Milton's vote on state prohibition was yes 105, no 102, and on local license was yes 112, no 228.

Richford's vote on state prohibition was yes 182, no 178, and on local license, yes 112, no 228. Ferrisburgh's vote on state prohibition was yes 82, no 105, and on local license was yes 31, no 111. Jericho, the only other of these sixteen towns in addition to Richford to give a majority for the measure, voted yes 105, no 61 and on local license, yes 28, no 138. Richmond's vote on state prohibition was yes 82, no 162 and on local license, yes 28, no 138. Richford's vote on state prohibition was yes 82, no 162 and on local license, yes 104, no 126.

The president of the Vermont Local Option League was James N. Tyler, former justice of the supreme court. Justice Tyler now passed 80 years is a total abstainer. On the other hand he does not believe that it is a crime for another to have wine on the table, but he is not an advocate of even moderate drinking. He believes that each man must decide for himself whether he shall drink and to what extent. And what applies to the individual must also apply to the community. In other words, each unit of population shall decide how liquor shall be brought into that community.

This Vermont election has already been heralded the breadth of the country as a victory for the liquor interests. This, in spite of the views held by the anti-prohibition leaders, and in spite of the fact that nine-tenths of Vermont remains drier than Maine or Kansas. And it is a victory for the liquor interests, this because liquor interests have been wise enough to adopt the "Vermont idea" as their own and the Anti-Saloon League played into their hands by attempting to force state-wide prohibition on Vermont, which was already satisfied with local option for the purpose of annexing the Vermont senators for nation-wide prohibition.

The election was a surprise to both sides.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Snow today and Thursday; cold; a northeast gale is expected within 24 hours.

Sun Rises.....	6.15
Sun Sets.....	5.60
Length of Day.....	12.14
High Tide.....	1.45 am, 2.13 pm
Moon Rises.....	3.54 pm
Light Automobile Lamps at.....	6.29 pm

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GREENLAND

Miss Alberta Bennett and Miss Elizabeth Bennett are visiting relatives in Lyons.

The Pollyanna club met with Mrs. John W. Weeks recently.

The Grange will present "The Tearer" at the town hall on Wednesday evening. A large attendance is expected.

Wellington Deal is recovering from pneumonia.

A social will be held at the parsonage of the Ladies Aid Society at the M. E. church on Friday evening.

"ALONE AT LAST"

From "The Merry Widow" to "Alone at Last" is a fugue for a composer of operetta music, but Frank Lehar has achieved it successfully and gracefully. He made his reputation with the first mentioned work, while the last is his newest offering in Boston and immediately established itself in public favor at the Shubert Theatre where it begins its second week next Monday, March 27th.

Much of the music of "Alone at Last" is only a quarrel of an inch from grand opera. The sunrise music of the second act and even more than that, the finale of the same act are the most ambitious bits that have come from his waltz-inspired pen. The score calls for a large orchestra, which is liberally supplied at the Shubert Theatre, and in it one hears a lot of the effects of grand opera usually attributed to Wagner, Puccini and Mascagni. But they are most effectively employed.

In contrast to these are the lighter values of this versatile and gifted composer, such as the hunting "Waltz Entr'acte," the waltz in "One in the Name of Love," the charming refrain of "The Pretty Boleyns" and the winning "Oh My Darling Tilly." Frank Lehar has woven grand opera down from its pedestal, and lifted up comic opera until the two touch fingers, figuratively speaking in "Alone at Last." The excellent singing cast includes Marguerite Naima, Roy Atwell, Beth Lydy, Harry Connor, Letty Yorkie, Mabel Weeks, Elizabeth Doodall, Edward Muleby, Olga Britton, Ann Delmore, Marion Folger, Lillian Horn and John Charles Thomas.

NEWBURYPORT LOAN.

The city of Newburyport has awarded a temporary loan of \$160,000, dated March 22, and due Nov. 3, 1916, to the First National Bank of Newburyport at 3.00 per cent discount. Other bids for the loan were: Eastbrook & Co., 3.10 per cent; Blake Bros. & Co., 3.10 per cent; Curtis & Sanger, 3.10 per cent.

One Hundredth Anniversary of Royal Arch Masons Observed Last Evening With Entertainment Program and Historical Address.

With a fine entertainment and musical program and an excellent historical address Washington Royal Arch Chapter, Number 3, A. F. & A. M., celebrated its 100th anniversary in Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening. Following the order of exercises in the hall a banquet was served in the banquet hall the members of the lodge being accompanied by their ladies.

Fully 300 members and ladies were present at the exercises and enjoyed every moment of the evening. The banquet was prepared and served under the direction of Manager Dudley of the Rockingham Hotel.

The Menu
Tomato Bouillon
Olives
Sweet Mixed Pickles
Cutlets of Sweetbreads Petit Pota
Roast Stuffed Turkey, Apple Jelly
Mashed Potatoes
Waldorf Salad
Combination Chocolate
Vanilla and Strawberry Ice Cream
Assorted Cake
Coffee

Music was furnished by the Masonic Orchestra which opened the evening's program. This was followed by the address of welcome delivered by Frederick Watkins, D. H. P. The response was made by Albert R. Jenkins.

The entertainment program was presented by the Florentine Musicians,

composed as follows:

Miss Mollie Mildram, Entertainer.
Miss Stella Marek, Violin.
Mr. Andrew Visocchi, Accordion.
Virtuoso.
Miss Mabel Bradbeck, Piano.
The following program was excellently presented.
Opening, "Italian Airs"arr. Capun
The Company.
March, Selected (Operatic Selection)Mr. Visocchi.
Italian FantasiaTaylor
Song, "Nicolini"Moret
Selection "La Traviata"Miss Mildram
Selection "Verdi arr. Wiegand"Miss Marek, Mr. Visocchi
"The Ambitious Nightingale"Theo. Bennett
Miss Mildram
Popular MedleyMr. Visocchi.
"Pierrot Dance"Popper
"Humming Bird"Ordn
Miss Marek
"Serenade"Najhan
Miss Marek, Mr. Visocchi
Prelude Selection from "Chin Chin"Caryl
The Company.

At the conclusion of the entertainment program an able historical address on Washington Royal Arch Chapter was delivered by Oliver W. Frisbee.

Inspector Wallace F. Purlington and Chemist Charles D. Howard of the State Board of Health for selling renovated butter without stamping the packages as required by law, were arraigned in the Manchester police court and each fined \$10 and costs.

Inspector Purlington informed the court that transactions of this nature were being carried on in a wholesale manner in Manchester and that the trio arraigned should be severely dealt with that other violators may take warning.

Inspector Purlington and Chemist Howard made personal visits to the stores of the accused men and in each instance requested a pound of tub butter. Instead of this they received unstamped renovated butter and it was sold as the tub article, Inspector Purlington states. The inspector explained to the court that the renovated article consists of small pieces left over from sales. These pieces are melted and cold air blown through the mass, he says, making a product, which is not up to the standard of the tub butter, but which is frequently sold at the same price as is asked for the higher grade.

One of the dealers explained that his violation was due to mistake and he had never transgressed before while the other two dealers were not even in possession of a stamp.

Marion Ind., March 22—Clover Leaf passenger train No. 5, the "Commercial Traveler," was blown from the tracks four miles east of Marion on Tuesday evening during the cyclone which passed through this vicinity about 11 o'clock. The train was overturned and wrecked while going at a high rate of speed, it was reported. Physicians have gone to the scene. Details are slow in coming in on account of communications being destroyed.

The train consisted of five cars, four of which were turned over, the other being tilted at an angle of 25 degrees. The engine and tender stayed on the track and the engineer and fireman brought them into Marion. It was reported that about 25 persons were injured.

BUTTER DEALERS FINED.

State Board of Health After Law Breakers at Manchester.

The three Manchester butter dealers arrested and prosecuted by In-

JOE KINDLER DEAD.

Former Portsmouth Resident Passes Away After Long Illness in Boston.

Joseph B. Kindler, a native of this city who has resided in Boston for the past fifteen years, died at his home

199 St. Botolph street, on Tuesday morning after a lingering illness, aged 37 years. Deceased, after completing his education, learned telegraphy and became an expert at the key. He later entered the employ of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and had for several years been located in the train dispatcher's office in the South Union Station, Boston.

He was a man of excellent character and his pleasing disposition made friends wherever he was known. In railroad circles he was much esteemed. His death comes as a reward for his long and patient suffering and brings keen sorrow to a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

Besides a wife and daughter to mourn his loss, he leaves three brothers, Fred, of Haverhill; Marlin, of Boston; and Charles, an army officer in the Philippine constabulary; one sister, also a resident of Boston.

Interment will take place in this city on Thursday morning when the remains will arrive on the 10.15 a. m. train from Boston.

KITTERY

Keep in mind "The Dutch Party" at Wentworth hall, Friday evening, March 31st.

The Ladies Circle will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sarah Trefethen, Walker street.

A special meeting of Kittery Grange will be held tonight at 7 o'clock at the home of A. H. Brackett to receive applications for membership.

The regular meeting of York Rebekah Lodge will be held on Thursday evening. All members are asked to please bring cake.

Miss Kate Parker of Otis avenue attended the Buckley-Howe nuptials in Portsmouth on Tuesday evening.

The tulips for the "Dutch Party" are growing fine and will be in full bloom Friday evening, March 31.

The first high mass since the Catholic mission was established in Kittery will be celebrated at Grange hall on Easter Sunday.

In connection with this important feast the choir is doing good work in its first attempt to prepare for a musical rendition of a mass. On this occasion they will sing a beautiful four-part composition by Korman. Rehearsals are being held under the direction of Organist, Miss Nellie Colliton.

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The following item was taken from the Bladford Journal under the heading of "Thirty Years Ago": "Rev. John T. Sewell, the son of Rev. D. B. Sewell of York, was installed pastor of the Congregational church in Milford, Ct., March 10."

The engagement of Miss Ruth Florence Macy, daughter of Rev. Edward H. Macy, formerly of this town, now of Ogunquit, to Mr. Warren Dalton Sears, of Portland, a clerk in the office of the water district of that city, has been announced. The wedding will take place in the near future. The best wishes of her many Kittery friends is extended Miss Macy.

Miss Alice Clough of Portsmouth passed Tuesday night in town, the guest of Mrs. Edgar H. Baker of Otis avenue.

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SOCIALIST PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE TELLS HIS VIEWS.

Yonkers, N. Y., March 21—Allan L. Benson of this city, Socialist candidate for President and the earliest named party leader for the November battle, today in an interview told why he believes Socialism has an especial appeal now and prophesies the organization will get between 1,500,000 and 2,000,000 votes this fall.

"It is very simple," Mr. Benson said. "The European war is opening the eyes of the working people to the fact that the competitive system—the private ownership of industrial organizations—creates an owning class. That owning class which has the trade at present must struggle to keep it, and must struggle to extend it to other countries. That owning class which hasn't the trade is bent upon getting it, no matter how. And there is the cause of the war."

"The soldiers in this war, I think, are realizing more and more that they are not fighting for themselves, for their country but for their industrial masters. More soldiers are realizing and learning the truth in this war than ever before. They are learning that fighting is a business no man should take part in except for self-defense."

RAILROAD MEN FEAST

One hundred railroad agents from all over New England, together with their ladies, attended on Friday evening the 28th annual ladies' night dinner and entertainment of the Railroad Agents' Association of New England at the Copley Plaza Hotel, Boston.

G. W. Hunt, president of the association presided as toastmaster. Other officers of the organization present were W. G. Carter, vice president; E. O. Brigham, secretary and treasurer; John Somers, E. J. Powers, A. H. Porter, G. A. Jones and H. H. Boynton, executive committee.

SENATE PASSES TILLMAN BILL

Measure Provides for Government Armor Plate Factory.

Washington, March 22—The Tillman bill to provide for the erection or purchase by the government of an armor plate factory at a cost not exceeding \$11,000,000 was passed by the senate today by a vote of 58 to 23. The house naval committee has set aside tomorrow for consideration of the measure with a view to reporting it to the house promptly.

Democratic senators supported the bill, regarding it as one of the important measures included in the national preparedness program now being hastened to completion. Nine Progressive Republicans joined with the majority in voting for the bill. They were senators Borah, Clegg, Cummings, Grona, Kenyon, Norris, Poindexter, Sterling and Works.

Passage of the measure in the house is regarded as assured. Administration leaders are beginning to bring it up soon after the passage of the army reorganization and immigration bills.

The bill which has the approval of the administration and Secretary Daniels was bitterly opposed by several Republican senators. At committee hearings on the measure officers of the Bethlehem and Midvale Steel Companies, two of the three concerns which furnish armor to the government, appeared and the threat was made that their plants would have to be dismantled as soon as the government embarked upon the business, leaving no source of supply for the navy's immediate needs. The opposition in the senate was led by Senators Penrose, Oliver, Lippitt and Lodge.

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RAILROAD NOTES

Reduced rates have been granted on all Maine railroads for those who wish to attend the Progressive party state convention at Bangor on Wednesday, April 5. The Maine Central makes a rate of two cents a mile each way. The B. and A. gives one fare for the round trip and minimum two cent rate. Tickets are good for April 4, 5, and 6. There will be four district conventions. From reports received at Progressive state headquarters in Portland from each of the 16 counties, there will be a full attendance.

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Charles Lord, a freight cashier at Somersworth, has bid off the job as general agent for the Boston and Maine at Keenebunk.

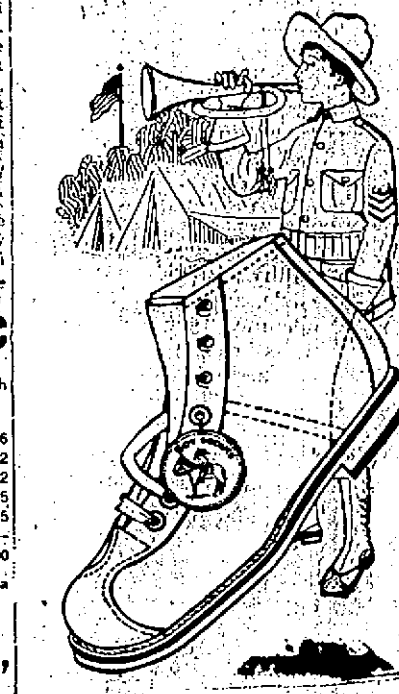
Executives of a number of larger railway systems Tuesday appealed to senate postoffice committee to amend the postoffice appropriation bill so that fixing of rates for carrying mails would be turned over to the commerce commission. The chief speech was made by President Ben of Pennsylvania railroad who declared that the bill as it passed the house, discriminates against the railroads, since it failed properly to compensate them for carrying the parcel post mail.

Agents to the Boston and Maine reorganization from considerably more than two-thirds of the outstanding shares of the Boston and Lowell have been received. Earning estimates for the first March fortnight show an increase over last year somewhat less than for the preceding weeks—due partly to bad weather. Indicated freight revenues are about 20 per cent and total gross revenues about 12 per cent ahead of those for the corresponding fortnight of 1915.

Secretary William H. Day, Jr., of the Lynn Chamber of Commerce, says that every line of railroad running into New England states is absolutely tied up and Lynn is cut off from the outer world so far as freight is concerned, as complete as though it was not on the map. Every line now running into the New England states has placed embargoes on freight and nothing is doing except local business. Freight from New York can get in, but freight billed from points beyond directed to cities and towns in the New England states will not be handled at New York. It is possible to get some goods out of Lynn but the difficulty is to get goods into Lynn, which in many cases are sorely needed. Just how long the embargo will last, no one can tell, nor what the final consequence, if it is continued for any considerable time. The American Express is open and will relieve the situation a whole lot and the same is true of the parcel post, but so far as direct shipments for any section of the New England states coming in is concerned, it is a disaster.

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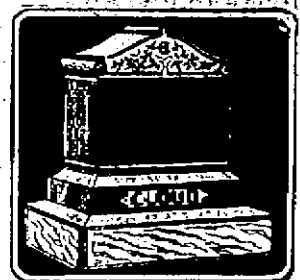
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REORGANIZATION IS TOO FAVORABLE TO STOCKHOLDERS

TRUSTEE OF B. & M. RAILROAD MAKES THIS CHARGE IN OPPOSING PROPOSED MOVE

Boston, March 21.—Edwin C. McInnes, a State Street trustee, who holds considerable investments in the Fitchburg and other leased lines of the Boston & Maine, is issuing a circular which criticizes the proposed reorganization of that railroad system.

He objects on the ground that the outlined plan is too favorable to Boston & Maine stockholders and is the first case known to him "where the stockholders of an insolvent corporation have attempted to dictate the form of its reorganization."

Mr. McInnes says in part: "If the tenant of a store, owing a large amount of unsecured notes which he could not pay, should ask the landlord to let him mortgage the store to secure those notes, and agree that the rent thereafter should only be paid when the tenant's business earned a surplus, would a reasonable landlord consent? The Boston & Maine in its proposition for consolidation with the leased line seems to me exactly in the position of that tenant."

"From the last annual report, I deduce the following figures, treating the \$13,500,000 short-term notes as part of its funded debt, and disregarding the worthless \$7,000,000 of Fitchburg common and of securities of one leased line held by another:

	Boston & Maine	Leased Lines
Bonded debt per miles of road owned	\$50,000	\$23,100
Capital & bonded debt		
Per mi. rd. owned	140,000	63,400
Cap. stk. & bonded debt		
Per mi. track owned	73,100	34,400

"If some allowance ought to be made for the greater amount of rolling stock owned by the Boston & Maine, it should not be forgotten that it is by no means all owned by it, and that, owing to the public demand for steel cars and electrification, most of that equipment now obsolete is liable soon to become so, and that all the deep water terminals at Boston and a very large part of the other terminals, including a substantial part of the North station, are owned by the leased lines. In a consolidation, is it fair that the Boston & Maine should be allowed in securities twice as much as the leased lines for their dollar of property contributed?"

"Suggesting a different form of reorganization, Mr. McInnes argues that an underwriting syndicate is unnecessary, and that stockholders ought not now to be paid in cash. He proposes that Boston & Maine stockholders subscribe at par for the new 6 per cent preferred stock at the ratio of one share for each four shares held, that the floating debt be exchanged for 10-year bonds, that bond, note and leased line stockholders reduce their return for a period of years, and that sinking funds be established for buying the New Haven's ownership in the Boston & Maine and for retiring the bonds of the latter's leased lines.

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Remember the quickest way to get rid of colds is one or two Cascarets at night to cleanse the system. Get a 10-cent box at any drug store. Don't forget the children. They relish this Candy Cathartic and it is often all that is needed to drive a cold from their little systems.

BOSTON LETTER

A public letter signed by prominent Republicans has been sent out calling upon the Republican members of the legislature to vote for House Bill 565 which is practically the same bill as the liquor transportation bill which was passed by the Republican legislature last year but was vetoed by Governor Walsh. The letter says

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VILLA ESCAPES CAPTURE BY FLIGHT INTO HILLS

El Paso, Texas, March 22.—Villa will not risk any fight with forces of either Carranza or American troops and during the fighting between him and his command and the Carranza forces at Nacimiquila yesterday, he fled into the hills or mountains. His location at present is not believed to be known by the American Commander, General Pershing, although dispatches to Washington from General Funston state that the American forces are closing in on him and that his capture is quite possible in a short time.

On the border the feeling of uneasiness over the present situation is increasing. More of the inhabitants are daily coming to the belief that Carranza is not acting in good faith in his promises to the officers of the American army and to the government officials at Washington. The citizens are fully armed and are hourly expecting a serious outbreak.

TOWN WIPED OUT; REPORT 20 DEAD

Torreón, Mex., March 21.—A band of

in part: "The justification of the appeal which was made to the voters last fall now rests with the Republican members of the legislature. With a substantial Republican majority and with a Republican governor, there is no divided responsibility. We therefore confidently look to you to support us in our contention that the Republican party can be depended upon to enact reasonable temperance legislation. We not only believe the proposed legislation is responsible, but that there is a general desire for its passage." The letter is signed by Robert Lugo and Courtney Guild of Boston, W. R. Moody of Springfield, Albert L. Stott of Newton, Kenneth Robble of Springfield, Gilbert C. Davis of Worcester, Robert M. Clark of Newton Center and Leland H. Cole of Salem.

The Boston Dispensary gave 122,776 treatments to patients in the clinics last year. This number represents an increase of 10,000 treatments over those given the previous year. In addition to the clinical work, 12,869 treatments were given in the homes of the poor by the district physicians. The annual report calls attention to the increased activities of the evening clinics, which were first inaugurated by the Boston Dispensary. The eye clinic had on an average 20 to 25 for two nights a week. The small fees charged on these clinics have made them self-supporting. Fully three-fourths of the dispensary patients belong to family groups, and three-fourths of these families have but one wage earner.

As a result of the expulsion of Henry C. Foster of Gloucester from the House of Representatives, Speaker Cox has nominated Representative Emory of Newburyport to succeed Foster as chairman of the roads and bridges committee, named Representative Sin not of Bridgewater to fill the vacancy on that committee and appointed Representative Halliwell of New Bedford to succeed Foster on the committee on elections. The roads and bridges committee has voted to refer to the next general court the bill for a new highway from Rockport to Gloucester. This was the bill concerning which representative Lyle charged Foster with having collected money.

Although inventive ingenuity has been hard at work in Boston and its immediate surroundings trying to devise something which will take the place of polish, the embargo on which placed by Great Britain, prevents im-

portations from Germany, nothing has as yet, according to the State Board of Agriculture, been found that will effectively replace it. At the offices of the American Agricultural Company on State street as well as the offices of the Board of Agriculture, it was said today that for more than a year, very little of the potato, an important element in fertilizer, has found its way into this country. So desperate have the farmers grown, that they are using hard woodashes, which they purchase in its place. Experiments are also being carried on on the Pacific coast with kelp, a form of sea weed, and locally with sea weeds.

Several of the dead, it is said, are women who protested against their homes being robbed. At the Cathedral one of the priests was killed and the church was robbed and burned.

The stories reaching the border declare that the raiders were remnants of defeated Carranza soldiers in the State of Durango. All horses and cattle were driven off by the bandits.

NEW NAMES FOR BATTLESHIPS GIVEN BY SEC. DANIELS.

Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, in recent orders announced that battleship No. 40, building at the New York navy yard, would be named the New Mexico, instead of the California; battleships 43 and 44, to be constructed at the New York and Mare Island, Cal., navy yards, respectively, will be called the Tennessee and California respectively.

The armored cruiser Tennessee will be renamed the Memphis on returning from her present cruise. The name of North Carolina will probably be transferred from that armored cruiser to one of the largest ships authorized by the present Congress, possibly to the first battle cruiser. The other armored cruiser, 502 feet long, still bearing names of states are the Colorado, Maryland, Montana, South Dakota, Washington and West Virginia.

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ENGAGEMENT OF MISS MOLLIE COHEN ANNOUNCED AT HOME OF HER PARENTS TO MR. SALGNASKY OF NEW YORK

On Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents on Marey street Miss Mollie Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cohen, was hostess to a large number of her friends, guests being present from New York, Boston, Exeter, Newmarket, Newburyport and this city. The occasion was in honor of the anniversary of her birth and at a dinner served in the evening Mrs. Cohen announced the engagement of the young hostess to Mr. Morris Salignasky of New York city.

Miss Cohen was the recipient of a large number of beautiful presents from her many friends on the occasion of her birthday celebration as well as the good wishes for her future happiness at her coming marriage.

A notable feature of the party was the donation of the sum of \$25.00 by the guests present, the amount to be added to the Portsmouth fund for the relief of the war sufferers in Europe. During the afternoon and evening games and music were enjoyed, an excellent impromptu program being presented by the hostess for her guests. Congratulations for his coming happiness were showered on Mr. Salignasky. He returned to New York, leaving Portsmouth for Boston on the morning train.

DANDRUFF GOES! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments. Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

PRISONERS ESCAPE AFTER SHOOTING OFFICER.

Providence, R. I., March 21.—Sixteen prisoners, indicted by the grand jury and who in company of 15 others were on their way to the county farm in a police moving van this evening, made their escape from the van after shooting deputy sheriff Tillings and beating Deputy Sheriff Colvin, the two officers who had charge of the men. Tillings has a bullet wound in his shoulder and is at a hospital in a dangerous condition. Colvin was beaten over the head with a lead-billy which one of the prisoners had concealed on his person.

Deputy Tillings was shot with his own revolver after it was taken away from him by the prisoners. Eleven of the sixteen escaped men have been recaptured by the ring leaders, armed with the revolvers of the two officers are still at large. Armed posses of citizens and officers are now engaged in searching for them.

ELIOT

SONG RECITAL
Miss Beatrice Elizabeth Hartford, soprano.
Pupil of E. Morse Wemple—New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass.
Miss Florence G. Marshall, accompanist.
Grange Hall, Kennard's Corner, Elliot, Me. Thursday evening, March 23rd, 1916.
Tickets 35c.
Dancing follows.

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WANTED—A position as general housework or second girl. Address X, this office. he m22, 1w

WANTED—Man to cut cord wood and do chores for board. Must be sober and reliable. Phone for appointment, 352W, Cook Farm, Kittery Junction, Me. he m20, 1w

WANTED—Two bed rooms and room to cook for light housekeeping. furnished; references. Address J. B. Phillips, 73 Congress street, city. he m21, 1w

TO LET—Furnished house, Kittery, near Navy Yard; 3 rooms; bath, steam heat, refrigerators, electric lights. Apply Anna W. Hobbs, cor. Wentworth and Central streets. he m15, 1f

WANTED—A child to board, 3/4 or 1 years old, girl preferred. Inquire at 33 Maplewood ave., between 2 and 3 p. m. he m18, 1w

WANTED—A second girl. No washing or ironing. Address or apply to J. O. Hobbs, No. Hampton, N. H. he m18, 1f

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. References exchanged. Address—X, this office. ch 1w m17

WANTED—Second hand furniture; feather beds, antique furniture. George A. Kemp, Furniture Exchange, Penhallow street. Tel. 728M; he m11, 1f

Thousands Government Jobs Open to men; women, \$75.00 to \$150.00/month. Write immediately for list. Franklin Institute, Dept. 227 N. Rochester, N. Y. ch 1m m14

Have your auto painted by S. Hardy at the Auto Paint Shop Garage, Kittery Junction, Me. ch 1m m15

FURNITURE MOVING—Both local and long distance, with heavy truck and handlers of long experience. Prices moderate. The Portsmouth Furniture Co., Cor. Deer and Vaughan streets, near B. & M. depot. he m14 1f

GOOD PRICES paid for live poultry. Groton, Bartlett St., Tel. con. h m21, 1w

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TO LET—Large furnished room. Light, furnace heat and bath. 8 minutes walk to business center. Suitable for one or two. A regular living room. Low rate, 302 Irvington St. c 1m m17

TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 91 Penhallow street. he m21, 1w

TO LET—April 1, a flat, all modern conveniences. Apply Susanna's Dye House, 129 Penhallow street. Tel. 103. he m21, 1f

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, light and heat. Apply at 600 Union Street. he m21, 1f

TO LET—Three nice, large offices, all lighted and heated. Herald and Chronicle buildings. Enquire at this office. he m16, 1f

TO LET—Tenement of three rooms, \$8.00. Apply at this office. he m21, 1f

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—In Kittery. Good set of buildings and three acres of tillage and woodland, situated on the Rogers road about four minutes walk from the Kittery Harbor and Beach railroad depot. Price reasonable. For further particulars see Elmer J. Burnham. m 20 1w

25 ACRE FARM FOR SALE
Situated in Ellingham, N. H. in the White Mountain region, near Ossipee Lake. Nearly new house with 8-foot piazza running, whole length, good barn, lots of apples and small fruits. Good hunting, bathing, fishing and hunting. A fine summer, or all the year round home. Low price. Terms if desired. Address E. L. Hopkins, owner, Portsmouth, N. H. m 20 1w

FOR SALE—Twenty cords of dry hardwood. Joseph R. Holmes, Tel. 672W.

People desiring to beautify their homes with roses, vines, shrubs, bushes, hedges, ornamental trees, fruit trees, etc., Raspberries, blackberries, gooseberries, currants, grapes, strawberries, asparagus, rhubarb, etc., for their garden, apply before April 1 to M. M. Hoyt, Greenleaf Road, City. Tel. 258 2

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MY S. C. WHITE LEGHORNS, (descendants Cyphers Co.'s 263 Egg Hen), won at Portsmouth show last two years, 1st and 2d pens, 1st cock and 1st hen. Stock for sale. Eggs \$1.50 per 15. H. C. Moody, Kittery, Me. hm7, 1m

LOST

LOST—On Pleasant Market or Congress streets, or in stores on same streets, sum of money. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

LOST—Knight Templar Charm set with diamonds. Finder please leave at Gas Office and receive reward.

U. S. NAVY YARD FERRY

TIME TABLE

In Effect Feb. 25, 1916.

WEEK DAYS

Leave Navy Yard for Portsmouth—7:50, 8:35, 9:15, 10:00, 10:30, 11:15, 11:40, 12:05, 12:45, 1:05, 1:35, 2:15, 2:45, 3:20, 4:10, 4:40, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:20, 6:55, 7:20, 7:50, 8:20, 9:50, 10:20, 10:50, 11:20 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth for Navy Yard—8:10, 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, 11:00, 11:30 a. m., 12:15, 12:55, 1:20, 1:55, 2:30, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 4:55, 5:15, 5:45, 6:10, 6:40, 7:10, 7:35, 8:10, 8:35, 10:05, 10:35, 11:10, 11:35 p. m.

Note—Enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps attached to this Navy Station are authorized to use the Navy Yard Ferry for all trips except those marked.

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS

Leave Navy Yard—9:10, 10:00, 10:15, 11:30 a. m.; 12:15, 12:55, 1:45, 2:45, 3:45, 4:45, 5:20, 6:45, 8:20 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth—9:30, 10:07, 11:00, 12:05 a. m.; 12:35, 1:10, 2:10, 3:10 4:10, 5:10, 6:35, 6:10, 6:40 p. m.

Additional Trips to West Day Schedule for Saturdays:

From June 15 to Sept. 15.
Leave Navy Yard—7:35, instead of 7:50 a. m.; 8:00 a. m.; 12:10 p. m.
Leave Portsmouth—7:35, 12:00 a. m.; 12:20 instead of 12:15 p. m.

TIME TABLE

WINTER SCHEDULE
In Effect Dec. 8, 1915.
Subject to change without notice.

Portsmouth Ferry Leaves Kittery—
With Cars
For Elliot, Dover and South Berwick—
6:55, 7:55 a. m. and every hour until 9:55 p. m. The 10:30 a. m. Sunday—
First Trip 7:55 a. m.

*Runs to Kennard's Corner regularly and to Rosemary Junction when there are passengers.

*For Kittery and Kittery Point—6:35, 6:55 a. m. and every half hour until 10:55 p. m. Sundays—First trip 7:55 a. m.

*For York Village, York Harbor, York Beach and Ogunquit via P. K. & V. Division—6:55, 7:55, 8:55, 9:55 a. m.; 4:25, 5:25, 6:25, 7:25, 8:25, 9:25, 10:25, 11:25 a. m.; 12:25 and 1:25 p. m.

*Runs to York Beach only.

*Runs to York Harbor Postoffice only.

*For York Village, York Harbor, York Beach, Ogunquit, Wells, Kennebunk, Town of Hallow, Kennebunkport, Cape Porpoise, Biddeford, Sanford and Springvale via Rosemary—6:45, 6:55, 7:55, 8:55, 9:55, 10:55, 11:55 a. m.; 4:55, 5:55, 6:55, 7:55, 8:55, 9:55, 10:55, 11:55 a. m.; 12:55, 1:55, 2:55, 3:55, 4:55, 5:55, 6:55, 7:55, 8:55, 9:55, 10:55, 11:55 p. m.

*Runs to York Beach only.

*Runs to York Harbor Postoffice Saturdays only.

ATLANTIC SHORE RAILWAY

CEMETERY LOTS

CARED FOR AND TENDING DONE.

With increased facilities the subscribers again are prepared to take charge of and keep in order such lots in any of the cemeteries of the city as may be entrusted to their care. They will also give careful attention to the tending and grading of them, also to the cleaning of monuments and headstones, and the removal of bodies. In addition to work at the cemeteries they will do tending and grading in the city on short notice.

Cemetery lots for sale also land and turf.
Orders left at residence, corner of Richards avenue and South street, or by mail with Oliver A. Ham, 54 Market street, will be given prompt attention.
M. J. GRIFFIN & SON.

Free Organ Recital

North Church, Friday,
7.30 P. M.

Mr. John Hermann Loud, Organist.

Miss Helen G. McIntire, Violinist.

Miss Mary Shaw, Soloist.

EN ROUTE TO YUCATAN

U. S. Gunboat Wheeling to
Protect American Inter-
ests There.

(Special to The Herald)
Washington, March 22—The U. S. gunboat Wheeling which sailed from New Orleans on a secret mission several days ago is en route to Yucatan, it was announced today by the navy department. The gunboat will protect the terminus of the Tehuantepec railway there from possible danger.

LOCAL DASHES

More trouble for the railroads.
Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 124.

Dan Cupid seems to be unusually active just at present.

If the junk man cannot make money this year he never will.

Food sale and lunch counter, Court Street Church, Thursday at 2 p. m.

Wednesday surely is the hoodoo day of the week on weather.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day, at Jameson and Sons, Tel. 344.

The marriage bee has gotten into many a man's bonnet lately—and next comes the honeymoon.

Do your screens need brightening up? C. & M. enamel will make them look like new. Screen Black and Brush at the Matthews' Hardware Store, opp. postoffice.

Upholstering; hair mattresses renovated, Margeson Bros., Tel. 370.

Stereopticon lecture, "William Booth, the Man and His Work," by Adjutant A. Tyler of London, Eng., and Boston, Mass., at Salvation Army hall, 202 State street, Thursday, March 23, at 8 p. m. Admission, 10c.

MORE MONEY FOR STAR ISLAND FUND

Pop Concert in Boston on
Tuesday Night by Society
People.

A pop concert was given in Beacon hall, Coolidge corner, Boston, on Tuesday night. The entertainment brought out a large number of society people for the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of Star Island, Isles of Shoals, to be later used exclusively for religious meetings.

The committee in charge was headed by Arthur G. Everett, and the patronesses were Mesdames Horace G. Allen, George R. Dinwiddie, Frederick M. Elliot, Francis W. Lee, Horace E. Marlon, G. H. Perkins, Abbott Patterson, Milton Standish, Frederick A. Tunper, Charles B. Wetherell, also the Mesdames Anna Cummings, Elizabeth M. Doulls and Lucy Lowell.

Miss Margaret Ballard of Smith college arrived home on Wednesday to pass the Spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballard of Middle street.

Something Wrong With Gas Buoy.

The gas buoy at Point Judith was reported out of place or adrift by two miles shortly after four o'clock this morning.

APRIL DELINEATORS

With designs new in lines and fashion detail for the
New Spring Fabrics.

STYLES FOR THE JUNIOR AND HER SMALL SISTER.

Styles to please every mother and her small daughter.

The vest is very new and so is the bell sleeve and the flare in the Coat and Skirt.

The farthingale is the logical development of the full skirt.

THE D. F. BORTHWICK STORE

LOCAL CAMP IS FORMED

Meeting Held for Nomination
of Officers of Modern
Woodmen of America.

The preliminary meeting of the charter members of the new camp of Modern Woodmen of America was held on Tuesday evening at Socialists' hall with a good attendance. In honor of the district deputy the local camp was named the L. B. Koopman Camp. The following officers were nominated: Consul, Elliott W. Loring; past consul, Howard C. Moody; adviser, Allen J. Ramsdell; banker, Clarence L. Moody; clerk, Wilmet M. Smart; escort, William C. Corbin; watchman, Ernest Helli; sentry, J. R. Cammester; physician, Martin A. Higgins, M. D.; trustee, George E. Whittemore; day E. Caswell; Alfred Olson; chief forester, George T. Pogg.

District Deputy L. B. Koopman of Keene appointed the following as deputy head consuls: Fred T. Harrison, A. J. Ramsdell, George E. Whittemore and C. W. Day.

The formal institution of the camp will take place about the second week of April, and arrangements will be perfected to have the officers' and degree team of Portland Camp confer the work.

The Modern Woodmen has a million members and is the largest fraternal benevolent society in the world and has over 18,000 camps. It has paid out \$155,000,000 in the past 33 years.

THE HERALD HEARS

That the marine guard ball to be given after Easter in Portsmouth will be an elaborate affair.

That it took a half a dozen men nearly a half day to unload a car of elkhairs at the Boston & Maine yard recently which were loaded wet and froze on the way from Boston.

That they were required to break it up with drills, etc., before they could shovel the load into the pond.

That the company officials are always scouting around in the interest of economy and will be surprised to know the time and money spent on the children.

That the car properly loaded could have been cleared in an hour under other circumstances.

That the Owl club may change its winter outing program and make a trip to New Castle.

That the girls hope to bring home all their footwear on the next trip.

That they want to go again until they have information that the roads are clear of snow.

That Barnum and Bailey will appear at Biddeford on July 4.

That Undertaker Miskell, who has charge of removing the dead Spanish navy men from the navy yard, is in receipt of another letter which states that the ship to take the dead to Spain may not arrive here before the first of April.

That Dan Cupid is making a lot of them across the river lately.

That the hat exchange on Market Square Tuesday did not end in a joke.

That there is liable to be a summary court martial later.

That two men who walked from Portland to Wells on Tuesday, and from Wells to this city today had some bike, that is certain.

That they called at the police headquarters at noon for a rest and said they got broke in Portland where they went with horses and were hiking back to Boston.

That the Barnum and Bailey show will be seen in Portsmouth, the coming summer, but not in the field under tent covering.

That the big show will be switched over the Southern division on its way from Maine some time in June.

That many a man has the title of hero as a lover, but that is lost for fair when he gets the title of husband.

That a doctor says that chicken feed will bring out all that is finest in character. Wonder what effect corned beef and cabbage menu has in this line?

That the bunch of South End diplomats numbering fifteen or more have not settled the European war as yet.

That they have held some hot sessions of late in back rooms, hen coops, stables, in the corners and in cellars.

That the 9 o'clock club will mail a few stray ones during Leap Year.

That a little vinegar put in rinsing water is a most excellent preparation for chapped hands in cold weather.

That the Catholics of Kittery are holding Lenten services every Tuesday night.

That changes have been made in several of the local church choirs.

WEDDING BELLS.

Popular Young Couple United in Marriage Tuesday Evening.

The marriage of Miss Lucy Howe and Mr. George Buckley occurred at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at the parsonage of the Miller avenue Metho-

dist church, Rev. F. J. Scott officiating. The single ring service was used. The couple were attended by Miss Gertrude McLaughlin of Newburyport, as bridesmaid and Mr. Charles Benjamin as best man.

The bride was attractively attired in a gown of blue tulle with hat to match. The bridesmaid wore a dress of green silk.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, 192 Lincoln avenue, where relatives and friends of the young couple offered congratulations. Many beautiful and costly wedding gifts were received by the couple.

A dainty collation consisting of assorted ices, cake and coffee were served and vocal and instrumental music added to the occasion.

The bride has for some time been employed as a waitress in the Portsmouth Cafe. The groom is a native of Missouri and is employed as a machinist in the Vaughan street garage of the Portsmouth Motor Mart. Both have a host of friends who unite in wishing them much future happiness and a long married life. They will reside at 73 Congress street.

PERSONALS

Dr. F. S. Towle passed Wednesday in Boston.

Mr. Augustus Shapson is in Boston today on business.

Mr. Charles Smith was a Boston visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. George B. Lord and wife are passing the day in Boston.

Mrs. Charles Brewster and son of Concord are the guests of relatives in this city.

Miss Mildred Dearborn of Concord has returned home after a brief visit in this city.

Rev. William Porter Niles of Nashua will preach at Christ church on Thursday evening.

John P. Shaw of Manchester, field deputy in the Internal revenue service was at the headquarters today.

Miss Gertrude McLaughlin of Newburyport came to this city Tuesday to attend the Buckley-Howe nuptials.

Miss Susan J. Wentworth of Pleasant street is stopping at the Hotel Bellevue, Boston for a few days.

Miss Frances Bates of Smith college has arrived to pass the Spring vacation at her home in this city.

Mrs. L. H. Thayer of this city spoke before the Exeter Woman's Club on "Rural Holland," Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Emma Helen Hartford of Smith college is passing the spring vacation with her parents on Miller avenue.

Mr. Gustave Frohman, the well known theatrical manager, has taken over the management of the Copley Theatre, Boston.

Among the members of the senior class of Wellesley College who have recently won honorary scholarships is Miss Margaret L. Marston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Marston of 175 Madison street.

L. J. Dewar, former chief engineer at the Atlantic Shore-Railway power station at Kittery Point, who resigned to take up a course in the Hawley School of Engineering at Boston, is now attending that institution.

OBITUARY.

Joseph G. Pendexter

Joseph G. Pendexter, aged 30 years, formerly of this city, died at Troy, N. Y., Tuesday. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Julia Pendexter and one brother, Daniel Pendexter. The remains will be brought here for interment.

House with seven rooms and bath, furnace heat, electric lights and gas, hardwood floors, set tubs, coal and gas range, garage; lot 75x113; fruit. In excellent location. PRICE \$4,000

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Daniel Frohman presents John Mason in the international dramatic triumph

"JIM, THE PENMAN"

Paramount Picture in five parts.

Two single reel Universal Comedies.

Matinee, 2.00; Evening, 7.00 and 9.15

Triangle Plays for Friday and Saturday—Norma Talmadge and Robert Harron in "Missing Links," five reels; Sam Bernard in "Because He Loved Her," Keystone comedy in two reels; "Graft," ninth episode.

Coming—Theda Bara in "The Galley Slave."

FLOATS FROM KITTERY POINT TO FRANCE

War Refugee Finds Bottle
Thrown Into Sea by
Young Girls.

Nearly two years ago Miss Nellie Sawyer, aged 15, of Kittery Point, and her sisters, while on the shore of Gerish Island, near the Pocomtucket hotel, enclosed their names, ages, date and address in a bottle, corked it, and set it adrift. The circumstances had long since been forgotten, until a few days ago a picture postal card bearing the following message was received at the Kittery Point postoffice:

"St. Palais—Sum-Mer, France, Feb. 2, 1916. A coast guard found your address in a bottle washed up on the coast represented on this postcard. He gave them to a war refugee from Rhelms who is staying here, and who hopes you will get this card, with good wishes to (here follow the young ladies' names). Write and say if you receive this card to M. Jallade."

The coast depicted on the card is of a rocky character and aside from the fact that the bottle had drifted so great a distance, 3,000 miles at least, it is remarkable that it was not dashed to pieces before being found.

POLICE COURT.

The case against George Bates, who is charged with keeping a disorderly house, was before the police court for the second time on Tuesday afternoon. Attorney Mitchell for the defendant asked for a further continuance which was granted and the case will be up for the third time on Thursday.

HELLO 818-W

Just call that number in Portsmouth for Paper Hanging, Painting, Hardwood Finishing, or ask us to call and estimate your work.

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Take a look at our window displays when you are passing our store. It will "put you wise" as to "what's what" for the Spring season in men's and boys' togs and loggery. The big display is, of course, on the inside. We shall be pleased to "show you through."

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Easter Opening

This year finds our store of Easter cards, novelties, etc., larger and more beautiful than ever.

YOU ARE INVITED

to come in and inspect the line. Early shoppers are always the fortunate ones.

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Take home a bottle of these delicious

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